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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated January 15, 2003, finally rejecting claims 1-42.

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